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No. 35

EARLINGTON, HOPKINS COUNTY, KY., FRIDAY MAY 1, 1914

## PRES. WISON ASKS MEDIATION

In Great Strike President of Kentucky and Alabama Miners Officials are Summoned

ANOTHER BATTLE FOUGHT AT FORBES

Washington, April 29—President Wilson has asked the President of the Kentucky Mine Operators' Association and the Alabama mine workers organization to come to Washington immediately for a conference with the view of further attempt at mediation of the Colorado miners' strike.

It was understood that acting upon request of Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Labor, these two men, representing the owners and the employers of coal mine interests, already were on the way to Washington, and that they probably would select a third party and go to the scene of the disorders in Colorado.

Hywel Davies is the president of the Kentucky Coal Operators' Association, and William R. Fairley, of Alabama, the officer of the United Mine Workers of America, who were suggested as the conciliators. Secretary of Labor Wilson said they were chosen because he believed their positions as representatives of operator and representative mine worker would give them the confidence of both parties to the Colorado controversy.

The Secretary set that no plans had been made to proceed in the proposed conciliation scheme, but that a third member might be selected to complete a committee to go to the scene of the strike.

The Italian Ambassador called this morning on the Secretary of State to ask for protection to the Italians in strike riots in Colorado. The murder of six little children was the immediate cause of the request for the assurance of further protection.

Seven More Slain

Forbes, Colo., April 29.—Seven men lie dead in the Forbes camp of the Rocky Mountain Fuel Company. Most of the nine buildings are in ashes. Nine defenders are missing but are believed to have reached the Majestic mine. Three strikers are thought to have been killed in the latest outbreak in the Colorado labor war.

### Attention Confederates

The annual meeting of Madisonville Camp No. 528 will be held at City Hall, Monday, May 4th at 6 o'clock. As important business will come before the camp, I hope every Veteran in the County will favor us with his presence.

F. B. HARRIS, Commander

Good morning! Have you seen The Courier? Evansville's best paper.

## How to Detect the Alum Baking Powder

"Which are the alum baking powders; how can I avoid them unless they are named?" asks a housekeeper.

Here is one way: take the can of a low-priced powder in your hand and read the ingredient clause upon the back label. The law requires that if the powder contains alum that fact must be there stated. If you find one of the ingredients named alum, or sulphate of aluminum, you have found an alum baking powder.

There is another and a better way. You don't have to know the names of the alum powders. Use Royal Baking Powder only; that assures you a cream of tartar powder, and the purest and most healthful baking powder beyond question.

## CLEAN-UP-DAY PROCLAMATION

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Following the custom of 2 years the citizens of Earlington, without regard to age, sex, creed or color, are earnestly urged and expected to participate in a general "Clean-up-Day."

## Friday May 8

Has been selected as the date, and the principals of both the public Schools have agreed to give their pupils a half holiday Friday afternoon in order that the children may have an opportunity to assist in the good work of cleaning up.

All Trash, litter and garbage should be deposited in Boxes or Barrels in the alleys, where it is possible to do so, or at the side of the streets at convenient places for loading into wagons. The rubbish is to be moved at the city's expense and it is hoped that our people will take advantage of this opportunity to rid their premises of garbage of every character. It has been suggested that every citizen clean up that part of the alley abutting his property, and I urge that this be done. This is a small matter for the individual citizen, and if carried out, will result in clean and wholesome alleys all over our town.

The Board of Health and City Physician recommend and advise that all privy vaults be boarded up tight to keep out flies and urge the liberal use of lime around vaults, drains and cess pools. They also request that the War on the Fly be kept up vigorously, and assist that the livery stables and merchants of the town provide themselves with an ample supply of fly traps and that every effort be made to exterminate the abominable fly.

As all of our citizens must realize that each of us are the beneficiaries of the general cleaning up of our town, I respectfully and earnestly ask the hearty co-operation of our people in this undertaking on next Friday, May 8th, 1914.

# W. E. RASH, Mayor

## MISSIONARIES MODE OF TRAVEL

In West Africa---Mrs. C. W. McCleary Writes of Trip and Results There.

### THE WAR UPON IGNORANCE IN MEXICO

Mrs. C. W. McCleary of the Elat station, W. Africa, writes of a four weeks trip she took among adjacent villages, accompanied only by six "brown boys." She writes:

When she was asked by the natives, "Mamma, who is with you?", I answered God, and it brought a serious look to their faces. With their heavy loads on their backs, my boys would stop on the path and do a Baloo dance. Their care and thought of me never wavered. One of them told me he was with me upon my first trip to Elat from the beach---1912---and recalled many little incidents I had forgotten.

This season is our hottest, and some anxiety was felt lest I be overcome by the heat, but much of the way lay through forest, and generally we reached our town by noon. Of the three hundred miles I walked much from choice, and one of my boys was with me constantly to help me with the wheelbarrow or over difficult places. I carried with me a folding cot bed, table and chair, a trunk of clothing, one of bedding, a box of kitchen utensils and dishes and one of food, so I lacked only white company to make my comfort complete.

To each of the towns where I slept I followed this plan: First I found the headman, called for a house and bed, had the house swept and carpeted with plantain leaves, sent for

water and wood, and had my loads unpacked and all put in order. This done, I made a tour of the homes, visiting the women. Of course there were always many around the house but my boys "kept house" in my absence. When all the women had returned from their gardens, I then showed the Sunday school pictures, and held a meeting, cooked and ate supper, and after a season with the people at the house, I dismissed them and retired. I rose at 3 o'clock, made preparations, called the boys, breakfasted, saw the load repacked and the boys off in the cool of the day. Then I held "morning prayers" with the people, and later visited the school for an hour, then mounted my wheel and rode after my carriers.

The schools were often less than twenty miles apart (this distance is considered a days journey), so the trips were not hard. We passed 168 towns, slept in twenty-one different ones, held about fifty meetings at which some 2,500 people were present, visited twenty-two schools and gave talks to the pupils and advice to the teachers.

### MATERIAL RESULTS

The steady, persevering work in the famine region of Kiangsu and Anhwei has brought material results. Owing largely to the efforts of American missionaries in that large area, the work of reclamation of useless land has been given to the American Red Cross Society. And twenty million dollars gold will be required to reclaim one million acres of land, and this amount to be collected in America. Mr. Jameson, the expert engineer, who was sent out by the American Red Cross Society, estimates that this stupendous undertaking can be completed in about seven years. If accomplished, the reclaimed land will be and unfold blessing to millions, and a lasting monument to the philan-

thropy of American missionaries.

### WAR UPON IGNORANCE IN MEXICO

"The day school is Christianity's entering wedge in this country," says Rev. F. F. Wolf, missionary in Mexico. "Often it is the means of evangelizing a village community. Sunday schools and Junior leagues are active wherever the day schools flourish.

"It is acknowledged that Christian schools are doing more than any other medium to make of Mexico a quiet and prosperous nation. Ignorance and immorality are the chief causes of Mexico's present unrest and strife.

## Madisonville Notes

Mr. J. D. Sory, returned home last week improved, after having spent the winter in Florida.

Mrs. W. H. Forbes, of Hopkinsville, is spending this week in Madisonville, with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sory.

H. H. Coyle, is in Louisville this week on business.

Mrs. N. E. Stone of Madisonville was in the city Friday.

Messamore, Press Ross, Claude Ross, Chas Osborne, Walter Dulin, Will Gardner, were in the city Thursday at the club meeting.

Miss Ethyl Hart, of Madisonville, visited friends in the city Friday. Roy Vane was in Earlington Friday on business.

Mrs. C. C. Givens, returned Friday after spending a few days in Providence, with her daughter, Mrs. D. J. Ruckman.

Marsh physics react, react, weaken the bowels, will lead to chronic constipation. Doan's Rectolite operate easily, act a laxative at all stages.

## CLEAN-UP DAY ON MAY 8.

Time Fixed by City Authorities to Purify and Beautify

HALF-HOLIDAY FOR SCHOOL SO CHILDREN MAY ASSIST

Friday next, May 8th, has been officially named as "Clean-Up Day," for Earlington, and The Bee, carries the official announcement, calling on all citizens to join in this most important movement for a clean and healthy city. Our people have in the past observed clean-up days with much enthusiasm, and so, the best results have been had from these movements, and premises, alleys and streets, have been beautified and made more sanitary. The danger of the lurking disease germ of typhoid, or diphtheria or summer complaint or numerous other deadly maladies will be greatly decreased, if all the Earlington people, little, big, old and young, join, as they have in the past and ought always to do, in doing each his or her part to back up and assist the Mayor and City Council in this clean-up movement. Heretofore the Earlington School Board has adjourned school for at least half a day on clean-up days, so that the children all might have part in this worthy public undertaking and render very valuable assistance to the work at home on that day. It is understood that the School Board and Prof. Dudley, the Superintendent, will again arrange half holiday on Friday, May 8th, the official Clean-Up Day for Earlington.

Let's all get ready to help make this the best day of its kind Earlington has known.

## Have Your Spring Painting Done By an Expert

(Advertisement.)

If you appreciate the workmanship of an experienced man, you will not overlook the fact that W. C. Hurley has had 8 years of experience in painting on houses that costs from \$500 to \$2,500 and up. He is prepared to do any work that you could be able to get done in Evansville. He has worked both in Evansville and Mt. Vernon, Ind. He finishes any work in water colors, flat coat, oils and varnishes; does any stains that is desired; also floor striping, wall striping over flat coat and first coat borders. For bath rooms he will make your wood work look like marble and it will take a good eye to note the difference. Hurley is not the cheapest man, but the BEST. He can mix any color that's on the card. He guarantees his work; collects nothing until you are perfectly satisfied. You can find him at any time by asking at W. H. Whitford's. Leave your number.

### Walked From Madisonville.

Mrs. C. F. Wimberly accompanied by Miss Pauline Taylor and Mildred Miller, walked from Madisonville to Earlington, Thursday morning in one hour and fifteen minutes for exercise. On arriving at Earlington, they went to Mrs. G. H. Ashby's where a nice breakfast had been prepared for them. The ladies enjoyed their walk very much and think of repeating it in the near future.

# NOTICE!

## No Fishing in Loch Mary :-During the Months of:-

# May *and* June

## St. Bernard Mining Company

INCORPORATED.

### By GEORGE C. ATKINSON, Pres.

APRIL 30th., 1914.

RAILROAD WILL ASSIST  
PUBLIC ON ROADS, BRIDGES  
AND BUILDINGS

Atchison Extends Its Engineering Facili-  
ties Free to the People

Topeka.—The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Co., according to an announcement from the office of President E. P. Ripley, will, through its division superintendents, give local public officials in Santa Fe territory the benefit of its knowledge and experience in matters pertaining to the construction of buildings, highways, bridges, sewers and other work of that character, when invited to do so. There will be no charge for the service.

Getting Busy.  
It was a busy day in the butcher shop. The butcher yelled to the boy who helped him out in the shop: "Hurry up, John, and don't forget to cut off Mrs. Murphy's leg and break Mrs. Jones' bones and don't forget to slice Mrs. Johnson's tongue."

THE  
Merchant Who Advertises

in your home paper wants your trade and does not hesitate to ask for it. He is not ashamed of his goods and wants you to see them. The merchant who does not advertise in your home paper does not care about your trade, or carries a line of inferior goods not worth advertising. You would not think of attending a social gathering without an invitation, neither should you spend your money with a merchant that does not think enough of your patronage to ask for it. Think it over? There's a reason.

#### A Dead Town

"What is your idea of a dead town?"

This question was asked of Nashville's postmaster, E. S. Shannon, formerly Secretary of the Nashville Board of Trade, and the recognized authority on towns, live, dead and otherwise. And here's his answer:

"A town that never has anything to do in a public way is on the road to the cemetery. Any citizen who will do nothing for his town is helping to dig the grave. A man that curses the town furnishes the coffin. The man who is so selfish as to have no time from his business to give to city affairs is making the shroud. The man who will not advertise is driving the hearse. The man who is always pulling back from any public enterprise is throwing bouquets on the grave. The man who is so stingy as to be howling hard times preaches the funeral, sings the dolesey—and thus the town lies buried to sleep until the resurrection morn"—Portland Herald.

#### Look To Your Plumbing

You know what happens in a house in which the plumbing is in poor condition—everybody in the house is liable to contract typhoid or some other fever. The digestive organs perform the same functions in the human body as the plumbing does for the house, and they should be kept in first class condition all the time. If you have any trouble with your digestion take Chamberlain's Tablets and you are certain to get quick relief. For sale by All Druggists.

#### Battle Between Trees.

I remember a cedar and maple growing as close together as if they sprang from the same root. Some thirty-five or sixty years ago they were about twenty feet in height and the maple was probably about the same number of years old; the cedar twice as much. The maple is now twice that height, and its desperate efforts to straighten killed the cedar (round which it takes a complete turn) and flattened itself grotesquely.—From "A Farmer's Note Book," by C. E. D. Phelps.

Accidents will happen, but the best regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Extract off for odd emergencies. Two sizes 25 and 50c at all stores.

#### Important to all Women Readers of this Paper

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

You may suffer a great deal with pain in the back, bearing-down feelings, headache and loss of ambition.

Poor health makes you nervous, irritable and may be despondent; it makes any one sick.

But hundreds of women claim that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, by restoring health to the kidneys, proved to be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

A good kidney medicine, possessing real healing and curative value, should be a blessing to thousands of nervous, over worked women.

Many send for sample bottles to see what Swamp-Root, the great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy will do for them. Every reader of this paper, who has not already tried it, by enclosing 10 cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghampton, N. Y., may receive sample size bottle by Parcel Post. You can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar-size bottles at all drug stores.

#### All Equal in One Respect.

When Matthew Arnold was a school examiner a fellow-inspector of a class of girl pupil-teachers asked Arnold to examine for him. Arnold gave each of the young women the "excellent" mark. "But," said the other inspector, "surely they are not all as good as they can be; some must be better than others." "Perhaps that is so," replied Arnold; "but then, you see, they are all such very nice girls."

#### Strengthens Weak and Tired Women

"I was under a great strain nursing a relative through three months' sickness," writes Mrs. J. C. Van De Saunde, of Kirkland, Ill., "and 'Electric Bitters' kept me from breaking down. I will never be without it." Do you feel tired and worn out? No appetite and food won't digest? It isn't the spring weather. You need Electric Bitters. Start a month's treatment to-day; nothing better for stomach, liver and kidneys. The great spring tonic. Relief or money back. 50c and \$1.00, at your druggist.

#### Proficient.

A youthful and blushing bride reduced the aged grandmother of the man of her choice to a state of collapse last week. When asked if she could cook, she replied with simple modesty, "Not very well, but I know that you bake inside the stove and boil on the outside."—Sydney Bulletin.

#### STEADFAST CONFIDENCE

The Following Statement Should Form  
Conclusive Proof of Merit to  
Every Earlington Reader

Could stronger proof of the merit of any remedy be desired than the statements of grateful endorsers who say their confidence has been undiminished by lapse of time? These are the kind of statements that are appearing constantly in your local papers for Doan's Kidney Pills. They are twice-told and confirmed with new enthusiasm. Can any reader doubt the following? It's from an Earlington resident:

Mrs. Henry Clay Smith, Earlington, Ky., says: "You may use my statement as heretofore, recommending Doan's Kidney Pills. Whenever we have occasion to use them in our family, the results are fine."

Prices 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Smith recommends. Foster-Mithburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

#### Anonymous Work.

The work that does most of the world's good is anonymous. It is always astonishing to learn how unknown are most of the people who are doing the important things. They love their work more than their name.—The Christian Register.

#### Clears Complexion—Removes Skin Blemishes

Why go through life embarrassed and disgraced with pimples, eruptions, blackheads, red rough skin, or suffering the tortures of Eczema, Itch, tetter, salt rheum. Just ask your Druggist for Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Follow the simple suggestions and your skin worries are over. Mild, soothing, effective. Excellent for babies and delicate, tender skin. Stop chapping. Always helps. Relief or money back. 50c at your druggist.

#### Alas!

Too often the driver's yelling is in inverse ratio to size and strength of the steed.

#### Spring Laxative and Blood Cleanser

Flush out the accumulated waste and poisons of the winter months; cleanse your stomach, liver and kidneys of all impurities. Take Dr. Kling's New Life Pills; nothing better for purifying the blood. Mild, non-grinding laxative. Cures constipation; makes you feel fine. Take no other. 25c at your Druggist. Bucklen's Arnica Salve for all hurts.

You Don't Kiss  
Your Money  
Good Bye  
When You Trade With Us

There is a big chance for it to find its way back to your own pocket again, for we conduct a HOME store for HOME people, and we spend OUR money AT HOME.

You should take prompt advantage of the splendid values we are offering this week. We have a number of odds and ends which we have placed on our bargain counter and must turn into cash.

Our new spring goods are VERY attractive, and the prices are STILL MORE ATTRACTIVE.

Also remember that we give away every Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, a seven piece set of hand decorated china to the one holding the most votes. How to get the votes is when you spend cash with us. We give you a vote for every cent cash you spend with us.

Cansler & Maloney



# Every Housekeeper Should Have One For \$5.00

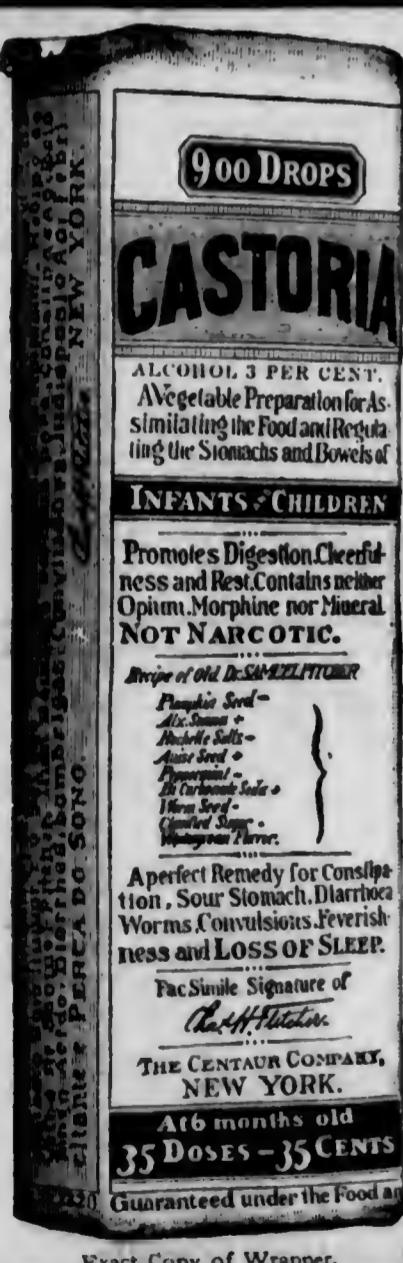
We give you this \$10 Carpet Sweeper and Vacuum Cleaner and the Semi-Weekly Bee one Year. You should have this "Suction Sweeper" because it is a labor saving device and gets all the dirt in texture of rug or carpet and all surface litter.

It is easy to operate, easy to clean and will give you years of service. Other people have been paying \$10 and \$12 for these carpet sweepers. You can get one just as good with the Bee for \$5. We have a sample here in the office and will be glad to demonstrate this sweeper for you. If you cannot come to the office, call 47 and we will bring the machine to your home and demonstrate it.

Remember this is a genuine Carpet Sweeper and Vacuum Cleaner combined and we guarantee to do the work thoroughly. The suction gets all the dust and dirt, the revolving brush picks up all the threads and other litter and the machine is so simple a child can operate it. We want to place one of these carpet sweepers in your home now while you have an opportunity to get them at half price. Don't forget we give 2,000 votes for every dollar paid on subscription. Now is the time to subscribe or renew and get a Carpet Sweeper and Vacuum Cleaner and the Bee a year for the small sum of \$5.00



## The Semi-Weekly Bee



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For Infants and Children.  
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Always  
Bears the  
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SHOULD EARN \$25 PER WEEK

Introducing our very complete Spring line of beautiful wool suitings wash fabrics, fancy waistlings, silks, hicks, petticoats, etc. Up-to-date N.Y. City patterns. Finest line on the market. Dealing direct with the mills you will find our prices low. If others can make \$10 to \$30 weekly you can also. Samples, full instructions in neat sample case, shipped express prepaid. No money required. Exclusive territory. Write for particulars. Be first to apply.

Standard Dress Goods Company  
200 4th St. Binghamton, N.Y.

**Low Estimate on the Jokesmith.**  
"A wag in the Starbeam column recently referred to my poetical paragraphs as 'larceny,'" a trifle disgruntledly stated Tennyson J. Daft. "Huh! If he considers my lyrics and limericks larceny, what would he call my rimes and sagas? Aw, well, it doesn't matter, for the jokesmith is the lowest form of human life, anyhow, and only useful to show to what extent foolishness may go without being funny."—Kansas City Star.

### A Texas Wonder

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of bladder troubles, removing gravel, the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggists will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from Kentucky and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2020 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. *Exact Copy of Wrapper.*

Month of March in History.

March, the month of Martius (Mars), though the third month of our calendar, was the first month of the Roman year. It was considered as the first month of the year in England until the change of style in 1752, and the legal year was reckoned from the 25th of March. Its last days (old style) were once properly supposed to have been borrowed by March from April, and are proverbially stormy.

### Cough Medicine for Children

Too much care cannot be used in selecting a cough medicine for children. It should be pleasant to take and contain no harmful substance and be most effectual. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets these requirements and is a favorite with the mothers of young children everywhere. For sale by All Druggists.

### Protect Your Hands

Housecleaning time need not be hard upon your hands if you resort to the right kind of protection. Get a good strong pair of our elastic rubber gloves. They fit snugly and yet allow perfect freedom of movement. They will keep your hands soft, smooth and white. Use them and you need not worry about the harsh effect of strong cleaning solutions. Every pair guaranteed—\$1.00 per pair.

ST. BERNARD MINING CO.  
Incorporated  
Drug Department

### Costly British Sport.

An expert has calculated that, including the personal expenses connected with the game incurred by the hundreds of thousands of amateurs, and by the wealthy professional clubs, together with the interest paid on shares and the gate money of the millions of spectators, British football costs about seven millions of money annually.

### Check Your April Cough

Thawing frost and April rains chill you to the very marrow, you catch cold—Head and lungs stuffed—You are feverish—Cough continually and feel miserable—You need Dr. King's New Discovery.—It soothes inflamed and irritated throat and lungs, stops cough, your head clears up, fever leaves, and you feel fine. Mr. J. T. Davis, of Stickney Corner, Me., "Was cured of a dreadful cough after doctor's treatment and all other remedies failed. Relief or money back. Pleasant—Children like it. Get a bottle today. \$5.00 and \$1.00, at your Druggist. Bucklin's Arnica Salve for all Sores."

### Moving Upward.

There is much wisdom in these words of Emerson: "Every man takes care that his neighbor does not cheat him. But the day comes when he begins to care that he does not cheat his neighbor. Then he has changed his market cart into a chariot of the sun."

### Cork for Glue.

After first removing the cork from your bottle of glue, do not use it again, but in its place insert the stump of an old candle. It will not stick, and the glue cannot spill.—Woman's Home Companion.



**ONE DROP**  
OF BOURBON POULTRY CURE  
down a chick's throat cures gapes. A few drops in the drinking water cures and prevents chicken pox, diarrhea and other chick diseases. One 5cc bottle makes 12 gallons of medicine. At all druggists. Sample and booklet on "Diseases of Fowls" sent FREE. Bourbon Remedy Co., Lexington, Ky.

**Avoid Self-Consciousness.**  
To think about oneself all the while is to turn energy in on oneself continually that might much better go out in unselfish action. The self-conscious person needs to pour out this force of attention and thought, instead of concentrating it on self and wasting it in awkward embarrassment and hurt pride.—Great Thoughts.

### Straight at It

There is no use of our "beating around the bush." We might as well out with it first as last. We want you to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the next time you have a cough or cold. There is no reason so far as we can see why you should not do so. This preparation by its remarkable cures has gained a world wide reputation, and people everywhere speak of it in the highest terms of praise. It is for sale by All Dealers.

**Sympathy.** Sympathy is the safeguard of the human soul against selfishness.—Thomas Carlyle.

### From Sickness

"Seeing your advertisement of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery in the Philadelphia paper, I feel like writing you to let you know how much need this medicine did to me a few years ago," writes Mrs. C. E. Lauer of 5726 Vine St., Philadelphia, Penn. "I was sick for four years and could not get anything to do me any good. Had throat and lung trouble. The doctor gave me up. He said I could not live longer than two months, said nothing could be done for me. After taking it three days I was much better than when the doctor came to see me, he said, 'Why, you are much better than you have been for years.' Then I told him what I was taking. 'Well,' he said, 'it is doing you, a lot of good.' After taking several bottles I found myself in perfect health."

### Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery

is a tonic and body-builder that has stood the test of over forty years of success. Made of native medicinal roots extracted with pure glycerine and without a particle of alcohol. This alterative excites the liver into vigorous action, cleanses the blood, and the entire system takes a new life. The cough is soothed, the lungs refreshed. You feel clean, strong and strenuous instead of tired, weak and faint.

Nowadays you can obtain Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery in the liquid form from all medicine dealers, or trial box of tablets by mail on receipt of 50c in stamps. Address R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Great 1008-Page Illustrated Common Sense Medical Adviser will be sent Free, Cloth Bound for 31 One-cent Stamps.

### To Perfect Health

**Notice! Poultry Raisers**

**R 4-11-44**  
CURES  
Cholera, Gapes, Limberneck, Roup, Canker,  
Diarrhoea and all Diseases of Poultry

NON-ALCOHOLIC  
NO CURE, NO PAY

Will Cures, Bardstown, Ky., says: "One drop of Recipe 4-11-44 dropped down the bill of a gaping chicken kills the worms and removes the chick instantly. It is the best preventive I have ever used." Will Cures, Bardstown, Ky., Price 50c at all Druggists.

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Friday, May 1, 1914

## ANNOUNCEMENT

We are authorized to announce  
Judge J. W. Henson as a candidate  
for Congress from the Second district, subject to the action  
of the democratic party.

## RAILROADING ONE OF THE MOST HEALTHFUL OCCUPATIONS

World-Wide Statistics Show Low Rate  
of Mortality for Workers.

Railway employees follow a calling more healthful than almost any other, according to figures compiled from the United States census and compared with the showing from foreign countries by the Bureau of Railway News and Statistics. The occupation of the railroad man, not only in the United States but evidently the world over, is shown to be among the most directly conductive to health, while the expectation of life for the railway employee is higher by a wide margin than that of the average person who works for a living.

Figures for the United States covering twenty-seven industries show that for every 1,000 employees engaged there is a yearly mortality of about 15, varying from 23.8 in the case of coopers and 26.6 among flour and grist mill workers to only 9.1 among plumbers and gas and steam fitters.

How low in this scale of mortality the railroad man stands is shown by the fact that "steam railway employees" report only 10.8 deaths per 1,000, compared with 15 for all classes. Most significant in the showing for railway men is the scarcity of deaths due to bodily infirmities, for while deaths due to accidents are higher than in any of the other occupations reporting, mortality due to tuberculosis, pneumonia, heart disease and diseases of the nervous system is so far below that for almost any other calling that the total deaths per 1,000, more than 4 less than the average for the 27 occupations.

That the outdoor activity of railway employees is beneficial abroad as well as here is shown by the figures which are available for several foreign countries. In France, for instance, while the occupational death rate average 8 per 1,000 between the ages of 25 and 34, 11.2 from 35 to 44 and 17.8 from 45 to 54, the railway death rate at the same age is only 6.6, 8.7, and 13.1, per 1,000 respectively. In Switzerland, as in America, the railway man's liability to accident, as might be expected, is above the average, according to available figures, yet even with this disadvantage the total death rate is considerably below the average. Tuberculosis especially claims far fewer victims, the average death rate per 100,000 between the age of 20 and 29 from this cause being 304, against only 150 for railway men.

In Great Britain not only is the railway man's death rate below the average, but the inferior mortality grows more striking with advancing age. The general death rate among wage earners is 6.4 per 1,000 between 25 and 34 against the railway's 4.8,

care was taken not to embarrass the efforts of the envoys by any announcement of conditions of settlement which the United States would insist upon. A spirit of optimism over the progress of the negotiations was distinctly apparent in executive quarters.

While the mediators are not ready to announce their plans or even to indicate when a proposed might be completed for presentation to the two parties, yet it became known that probably three or four days, or even a longer time, might elapse before they would be ready to take their step.

Secretary Bryan was called upon by ambassadors and ministers of European as well as South American countries. Among the visitors was the French ambassador, M. Jusserand, who expressed the warm sympathy of his country in the cause of mediation. With the exception of three South American countries, no powers has taken any official action, although the European diplomats are doing their utmost to further the cause of peace.

## Beware of Ointments for Cataract that Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on the prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten told to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Cataract Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheyne & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Cataract Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheyne & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## The Hague in History.

The Hague was originally a mere grazing station of the counts of Holland. Its name freely translated means "the count's hedge." The little town first rose to importance in 1527, when it was made the seat of the supreme court of Holland. In 1584 it became the place of assembly of the states general and the residence of the statholders, since when it has been the diplomatic conference place of Europe.

## Good Reason.

"I see that Brinkerton has at last quit smoking. His doctor told him more than a year ago that it was bad for him, and his wife has been trying for a long time to persuade him to give it up. Evidently he has at last become willing to listen to reason." "I don't know whether it can properly be called listening to reason or not. His pretty stenographer complained that cigar smoke hurt her throat." — Judge

## What Else Could He Do?

"Henry," said Mrs. Jason to her husband the other evening, "did you get a letter for me today?" "No, mother," meekly replied Hank, "there was nothing for you." "Henry," said the old lady very sternly, "I want you to speak to the postmaster in the morning and ask him to look around carefully. There must be a letter there for me." Henry went home at noon and lived about asking the postmaster.

## Brittle.

Little Elsie (after being lectured)—"Mamma, the commandments break awful easy, don't they?" — Boston Transcript.

## Full Realization.

Briggs—"Did you experience a sense of loss after you had been operated upon?" Briggs—"I did when I got the bill." — Life.

## THE Merchant Who Advertises

in your home paper wants your trade and does not hesitate to ask for it. He is not ashamed of his goods and wants you to see them.

The merchant who does not advertise in your home paper does not care about your trade, or carries a line of inferior goods not worth advertising. You would not think of attending a social gathering without an invitation, neither should you spend your money with a merchant that does not think enough of your patronage to ask for it.

At the white house President Wilson and his cabinet advisers held lengthy meeting, devoted chiefly, however, to the Colorado situation, although the Mexican crisis continued in the foreground. To a large extent, however, it was felt that the Mexican situation was now before those who had undertaken to exercise their good offices, and

## ROAD BUILDING

### USE BURNED CLAY ON ROADS

Sticky or Plastic Qualities Are Destroyed and Bears Traffic in Wettest Kind of Weather.

(By OLIVER HENNOCK, COLORADO ARCHAEOLOGICAL COLLEGE.)

In some sections of the country the only material available from which roads can be constructed is clay. In such localities traffic is almost entirely impossible during the wet seasons, as the wheels of the heavy vehicles will sink to the hub.

In order to correct this condition the United States office of public roads made the experiment of burning the clay. It was found that by burning the clay, even at a moderate heat, its



Entrance to Ute Pass, Near Manitou, Colo.—One of the Best Examples of Mountain Road Building in West.

sticky or plastic qualities are destroyed, so that even in the wettest weather it will bear traffic. This permits the laying of the clay along the entire length of the road, thus avoiding the cost of hauling it, and at the same time gaining the advantage of burning the foundation of the road as well as the material to be placed upon it.

Good solid wood is laid at intervals along the side of the road, about one cord for eight linear feet of roadbed, twelve feet wide. The road bed is first evenly graded and then plowed as deeply as practical. Furrows about four feet apart are then dug across the road and extended beyond the part to be burned on either side. The first course of cord wood is laid longitudinally, so as to fire a series of flames in which the firing is started. From 15 to 20 of these flames are fired at once. The rest of the cord wood is then placed on this flooring and then the clay is placed over the whole structure as evenly as possible, in a layer of not less than six to eight inches. This is tamped and rounded off, so that the heat will be held within the flames as long as possible.

After burning, the road is graded and rolled until the road bed is smooth and hard.

### GOOD ROADS AID SANITATION

If All Highways Were Improved There Would Be Appreciable Betterment of Public Health.

Friends of good roads should add to their usual arguments one which is not so frequently used, but is very important—namely, that good roads are direct aids to sanitation.

Weeds and other rank vegetable growths are prolific breeders of flies, mosquitoes and other disease-carrying insects. Sound road building causes the removal of weeds and similar trash. Weed and brush undergrowths by the roadside invite deposit of garbage and offal. Good roads do away with these disease-breeding agencies.

Good roads also prevent disease by providing good drainage. Many farms have no drainage except by ditches along the side of the road. Open ditches, clear of brush and debris, of hard surface and proper fall afford farms an opportunity to rid themselves of stagnant pools.

Oiling of roads destroys insect larvae. Dry, hard roads also enable pedestrians, especially the thousands of school children who, in country localities, walk quite a distance to and from school, to keep their shoes and stockings dry, thus preventing colds, and their frequent consequences, pneumonia and tuberculosis.

Logical tracing of effects to causes leaves no ground for doubt that if all the roads in the United States were good roads there would be appreciable betterment of the public health.

## Sick Women Attention

Is it possible there is a woman in this country who continues to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial after all the evidence that is continually being published, which proves beyond contradiction that this grand old medicine has relieved more suffering among women than any other one medicine in the world?

We have published in the newspapers of the United States more genuine testimonial letters than have ever been published in the interest of any other medicine for women—and every year we publish many new testimonials, all genuine and true. Here are three never before published:

### From Mrs. S. T. Richmond, Providence, R. I.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—"For the benefit of women who suffer as I have done I wish to state what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I did some heavy lifting and the doctor said it caused a displacement. I have always been weak and I overworked after my baby was born and inflammation set in, then nervous prostration, from which I did not recover until I had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The Compound is my best friend and when I hear of a woman with troubles like mine I try to induce her to take your medicine."—Mrs. S. T. RICHMOND, 199 Waldo Street, Providence, R. I.

### A Minister's Wife Writes:

CLOQUET, MINN.—"I have suffered very much with irregularities, pain and inflammation, but your wonderful medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, has made me well and I can recommend the same to all that are troubled with these complaints."—Mrs. JANE D. AKERMAN, c/o Rev. K. Akerman, Cloquet, Minnesota.

### From Mrs. J. D. Murdoch, Quincy, Mass.

South QUINCY, MASS.—"The doctor said that I had organic trouble and he doctorred me for a long time and I did not get any relief. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised and I tried it and found relief before I had finished the first bottle. I continued taking it all through middle life and am now a strong, healthy woman and earn my own living."—Mrs. JANE D. MURDOCH, 25 Gordon St., South Quincy, Mass.

**Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO.**  
(CONFIDENTIAL) LYNN, MASS., for advice.  
Your letter will be opened, read and answered  
by a woman and held in strict confidence.



### L. & N. TIME CARD.

Time of arrival of trains passing through and departure of trains originating at Earlinton.

Effective Sunday, Jan. 10, 1914

#### NORTH BOUND.

No. 92.....	6:26 a. m.
No. 52.....	11:13 a. m.
No. 94.....	8:05 p. m.
No. 54.....	11:27 p. m.
No. 44.....	3:55 p. m.
No. 90.....	5:40 p. m.

#### SOUTH BOUND.

No. 53.....	4:35 a. m.
No. 95.....	7:42 a. m.
No. 51.....	4:26 p. m.
No. 93.....	10:55 p. m.
No. 91.....	8:48 p. m.
No. 45.....	11:35 a. m.

No. 44 and 45 Sunday only. No. 45 does not run South of Earlinton.

#### INTERURBAN TRAINS.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 106.....	7:32 a. m.
No. 108.....	2:00 p. m.
No. 110.....	5:02 p. m.

#### SOUTH BOUND.

No. 105..... 7:00 a. m.

### M. H. & E. TIME CARD.

No. 107..... 12:55 p. m.  
No. 109..... 8:10 p. m.  
No. 111..... 6:30 p. m.

No. 111 does not run South of Earlinton.

### M. C. R. R. TIME CARD

Time of departure of Illinois Central trains from Nortonville, Ky.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 102.....	1:28 p. m.
No. 101.....	3:30 p. m.
No. 122, local pass.....	10:45 a. m.
No. 130, local.....	9:36 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 103.....	4:08 p. m.
No. 1	



The man who whispers down a well  
About the things he has to sell  
Will never reap a crop of dollars  
Like he who climbs a tree and "hollers."

### News of the Town

Wyckoffs Egg Laying Strains—  
Single Comb White Leghorns 15  
Eggs \$1.00 per hundred \$5.00. Orders filled promptly. 431 W. Center St., Madisonville, Ky.

CHAS. R. ROSS.

Mrs. B. E. Nixon, went to Madisonville Thursday shopping.

Mrs. Tom Coleman, was in Madisonville Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Thel Ashby, went to Madisonville Thursday to visit friends.

Ralph Dudley, was in Madisonville Thursday on business.

Geo. Robinson, went to Madisonville Thursday on business.

Before doing your house cleaning get one of our combination Carpet Sweepers and Vacuum Cleaners, they save half the work and clean your carpets and rugs thoroughly. You get them for one years subscription and \$1.00 extra at the Bee office.

Perk Adams, was in Madisonville Thursday night.

Rob. Featherston went Madisonville Wednesday.

6 per cents loans may be secured for improvement or other purposes, on farms, orchards lands, business or resident property and to extend or repay mortgages or other existing encumbrances, terms attractive, special options. Correspondence solicited; address 767 Gas and electric Building, Denver, Colorado.

Marvin Mitchell, was in Madisonville Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth Long and Margaret Dudley, left Thursday afternoon for Hopkinsville, where they will visit friends for a few days.

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Walter Wright of Carbonate, was in town Thursday on business.

The newest patterns in wall paper in the most delicate tints—will delight the eye of the most fastidious person. Prices right.

SISK BOOK STORE.

Earlington and Madisonville

Miss Agnes Lynn will leave Saturday to visit friends in Fordsville.

WANTED—Two good solicitors, one for Earlington, and one for Madisonville. Good solicitors can work \$5.00 to \$10.00 per day apply at Bee office.

Mrs. Delta Southworth was in Madisonville Wednesday.

**Now Well**  
"Thedford's Black-Draught is the best all-round medicine I ever used," writes J. A. Steelman, of Pattonville, Texas. "I suffered terribly with liver troubles, and could get no relief. The doctors said I had consumption. I could not work at all. Finally I tried

**THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT**

and to my surprise, I got better, and am to-day as well as any man." Thedford's Black-Draught is a general, cathartic, vegetable liver medicine, that has been regulating irregularities of the liver, stomach and bowels, for over 70 years. Get a package today. Insist on the genuine—Thedford's. E-70

Rufus Brane is working in Elkhorn a few days.

Bro. J. T. Conaway, left Thursday for a few days visit in Louisville.

We carry some excellent wall paper this season—all prices and patterns. Inspect our samples and get our prices before you make purchases elsewhere.

**SISK BOOK STORE.**  
Earlington and Madisonville.

Miss Zena Shanks of Madisonville was in town Wednesday afternoon.

Neal Spillman of Guthrie was in Madisonville Thursday night.

Walter Daves was in Madisonville on business Thursday.

Bob Fletcher of Princeton was in the city on business Tuesday.

The Christian Church Choir met with Mrs. James R. Rash Thursday night.

Did you get your Free Fly Swatter? If not, there is one here for you.

Hollinger & Truemper, Jewelers.

Marriage of Miss Margaret Victory, of this city and Mr. Claude Cornelius Mahan, of Piermont, N. J. took place on Friday April, the twenty fourth, at Daytona, Florida. The Rev. Father O'Boyle, officiating. After an Easter trip Mr. and Mrs. Mahan, will be at home at Piermont New Jersey.

Mrs. Archie Todd and Miss Bessie Bennett, Earlington, Ky., were guests at the banquet given Tuesday at the Battle Creek Sanatorium, Battle Creek Mich., in honor of newly arrived visitors.

**SHIPP'S LINIMENT**  
Quickly relieves Rheumatism, Sore Muscles, Sprains, Bruises, Neuralgia, Ulcers, Numbness, etc. No money back if it fails to relieve any ache in any part of the body in fifteen minutes time.  
*All Drugs.*  
Free sample and circular sent on request.  
**BOURBON REMEDY COMPANY,**  
342 East Main St., Lexington, Ky.

A Nation of "AD" Readers

Never in the history of this or any other country has its people been so strenuous and persistent in the reading of newspaper advertisements as they are today.

Never has there been a time when it was so incumbent upon the business man to meet this demand as it is today.

Never was there a time when the man who judiciously advertised forged so persistently ahead as he does today.

Never was there a time when the man who didn't advertise was so quickly forgotten as he is today.

Never was there a time when advertising was so NECESSARY as it is today.

The American people are a nation of "ad" readers.

If a woman wants a suit or a new dress, she reads the ads.

If she wants anything else, she reads the ads.

If she don't want anything, she reads the ads just the same.

She always reads the ads.

For the advertisement is one great source of information—a guiding star—in all things feminine. It is the encyclopaedia of fashion—of style—of present day necessity.

And what is true of the women is equally true of men.

The man who advertises calers to the demand of the buying public. He recognizes the fact that if the public pays the bills the public has a right to have its wishes respected.

And the buying public WILL assert its rights, because it spends its OWN money, and it spends it AS it pleases, WHEN it pleases, and WHERE it pleases.

**SPECIAL TO WOMEN**

The most economical, cleansing and germicidal of all antiseptics is'

**Paxtine**

A soluble Antiseptic Powder to be dissolved in water as needed.

As a medicinal antiseptic for douches in treating catarrh, inflammation or ulceration of nose, throat, and that caused by feminine ill it has no equal. For ten years the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. has recommended Paxtine in their private correspondence with women, which proves its superiority. Women who have been cured say it is "worth its weight in gold." At druggists. 50c. large box, or by mail. The Paxton Toilet Co. Boston, Mass.

## NEWS FROM WASHINGTON

Events of Interest and The Political Doings at The National Capital.

### THIS IS A WAR THAT IS NOT A WAR

The Bee's News Bureau,  
Washington, D. C., Apr. 29

(By J. E. Jones)

While a country was impatiently waiting for the Senate of the United States to pass a resolution upholding the action of the President in using armed force in Mexico that great body was deliberately choosing a pathway to be traveled which would leave the record of Congress absolutely plain. The President had admonished Congress that it must, under no circumstances commit the American government to "war" upon Mexico. The action of the United States was to be directed, according to the President, against the Huerta faction (pronounced Wherta), which Washington has resolved to recognize as a government. The President told Congress in his speech: "I come to ask your approval." And before that approval was obtained Vera Cruz was in the hands of the American navy.

We sat in the Senate gallery all through the afternoon, and the long night, and watched one of the greatest scenes enacted in that Chamber since the Spanish-American war. Some people may say that the Republicans sought to make a partisan issue, and if such was the intention they certainly have left a clear record. The administration forces stood firm for the resolution that came from the Committee, and which it was charged, "was written on a White House typewriter." This resolution "justified" the President, because of the refusal of Huerta to salute the Stars and Stripes, and for two or three minor instances of official insult by Huerta. On this platform the Democrats stood pat. The Republicans in their resolutions—the principal one of which was that introduced by Senator Lodge, rejected that generally chaotic conditions of Mexico, and held that these conditions should form the basis of our action against Huerta. Many asserted that the instances cited by the President did not furnish a good reason for the use of armed force, and several Senators took the issue that the apology in the form offered by Huerta, was all that the United States should demand. There was no thought, or charge, in that Chamber, that the Senators were quibbling, and when the minority resolutions were all defeated, the Republicans had made their point plain that it was only the method of approval for which they fought, and the Senate at 8:25 in the morning sustained the president absolutely—only thirteen members voted against the resolution offered by the administration.

If the latest move in Mexico is successful it will be said that a united and patriotic congress "upheld the President." If our now Mexican policy is a failure, then the Republicans in the next campaign will produce the record made by them to lay all the blame on the Democratic Administration. Call this patriotism, politics, or what you will—nevertheless that's the way it was fixed in Congress.

Ninety-seven Congressmen voted to reduce their own salaries from \$7,500 to \$6,000 a few days ago—but there were 205 in opposition, and had there been any real danger of this proposition going through, about ninety of the ninety-seven would have a speedy method of changing their votes. The Representatives as a rule are very much impressed with their own greatness, and their confidential opinion is that they "working" altogether too cheap.

A few years ago many legislators throughout the country started to advocate cutting out railroad passes, direct primaries, restricted campaign contributions, and a lot of other things they never wanted. But the public took up the suggestions, and so thoroughly approved, that the public servants had to carry the propositions through in order to save their jobs. But the lesson does not seem to have sunk home, and the Congressmen who are still trying to jolly the voters with the notion that they are genuine reformers, will wake up some day to the fact that the country thoroughly approves the idea of a cut in their salaries—and then they are going to be very sorry. Some of the members will get so mad that they will conclude "they can't afford it," and will go back home and practice law and if they are lucky many of them will get about half of that six thousand—and when they have to depend on the results of a private real, genuine rustling.

## Twelve Reasons Why You Should Buy Your Groceries of Us

### No. 1.

BECAUSE back of this store stands the personal integrity of the management.

We have emphatically impressed the value of honesty upon all our employees.

No cheap trickster's methods are tolerated.



## St. Bernard Mining Company INCORPORATED Grocery Department

**SMASH!**  
HIT THE NAIL ON THE HEAD

We Hit High Prices Right HARDWARE On the Head

Try Us—Best Goods In Everything

When you want RIGHT tools, CHEAP household utensils, GOOD paints and varnishes, nails, kitchen ware, stoves, hinges, screws, bolts, knives and a hundred other things COME HERE. You'll SAVE MONEY.

## W. H. WHITFORD

### PSHAW!



Of course you hated to do it.

But that is our business to make it run again.

We compete in prices too, which makes it more interesting. See us and see.

### Hollinger & Truemper

Jewelers

#### A Beatitude.

Blessed are the poor in pocket, for they shall be practised upon by physicians, ailed by surgeons, patronized by plutocratic philanthropists, purchased by politicians, researched by reformers, led about by lawyers, awed by authorities, exhorted by ecclesiastics, meddled with by ministers, explained by economists, and castigated by courts.—Life.

## WHITE MOUNTAIN Refrigerators

"The Chest With Chill in it"

This mission of a Refrigerator is to keep food in a sanitary condition. This is what the White Mountain does. And it does the work at the least possible expense. There's a reason why this is so. Let us show you.

## O'BRYAN, UTLEY & CO.

Incorporated  
Furniture & Undertaking  
Madisonville, Ky.

Sought to Avert Disaster. Walter (to town councillor, who is furtively feeling the edges of the knives arranged on the banqueting-table)—"It's all right, Mr. Brown. Every one of 'em has been sharpened." Town Councillor (moodily)—"Ah, wot looking for a blunt 'un; t' last time Aw wot 'ere Aw cut my mouth!"—Liverpool Mercury.

One Hour a Day. An hour every day withdrawn from frivolous pursuits would, if properly employed, enable a person of ordinary capacity to go far toward mastering a science.—Samuel Smiles.

# ROAD BUILDING

## RELOCATE MANY OLD ROADS

Department of Agriculture Advises Cutting Out of Grades on Highways to Save Horses.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The average life of horses and automobiles may be increased and the cost of hauling reduced, according to the office of roads of the department of agriculture, by relocating many old roads and the more scientific laying out of new ones. The natural tendency in road building is to build a straight road, whether it goes over steep grades or hills, or not, and putting over these grades naturally adds to the wear and tear on horses and vehicles.

The doctrine of the office of roads is that the longest way around may often be the shortest and most economical way home, and that frequently by building a highway around a hill or grade, but little appreciable distance is added and this is more than offset by the reduced strain of hauling.

The chief drawback from the farm owner's point of view is that the laying out of roads on this principle of avoiding grades necessitates, in some cases, running the road through good farm land or orchards or pastures, instead of going around the farm line and building the road through old worn-out fields and over rocky knolls. This, of course, must raise a question in the mind of the individual land owner as to whether the cutting up of his property by a road yields him individual advantages and so benefits his community as to offset the use of such land for a road, or to overcome the inconvenience of having his land divided. In this connection the office of roads points out that the running of a road and the resulting traffic through a good farm, where there are good sheep, cattle, horses, grain, fruit or vegetables, has a certain advertising value and in many instances makes the land more valuable. In other cases, the importance of such a level road to the community is so great that it might well repay those using the road to give the farmer the equivalent in land equally good in place of what



A Good Road in Wisconsin.

he has sacrificed to the common welfare.

At any rate, the office of roads is now taking special pains to make clear the economic advantage of avoiding steep grades in other roads, even at some sacrifice of better land. Investigation shows that the laying of such roads over hills has resulted more from attention to the preservation of farm lines than from scientific attention to the problem of road building.

According to the testimony of farmers consulted, where a horse might be able to pull 4,000 pounds on a level road, it would have difficulty in pulling 3,000 pounds up a steep hill. The size of the load, therefore, tends to be measured by the grade of the largest hill on the road to market. In a number of cases actual experiment shows that the re-locating of roads around hills has been accomplished, either with no addition in road length in some instances, and with the adding of only a few feet to the highway in others. The office knows of no case where a properly relocated road which has cut out grades has led to any question as to its material reduction of hauling costs.

## THRESHED OATS FOR FOWLS

Grain Will Sometimes Produce Crop Bound If Fed Too Freely at First—Alternate With Mash.

Threshed oats is fine for fowls, if fed intelligently. They will sometimes produce crop-bound if fed too freely when first fed. Almost any dry, bulky ration will produce crop-bound when fed in large quantity. However, oats is a very valuable ration for fowls, but we would prefer to feed it alternately with a mash food made of pure wheat bran, hominy feed and shorts.

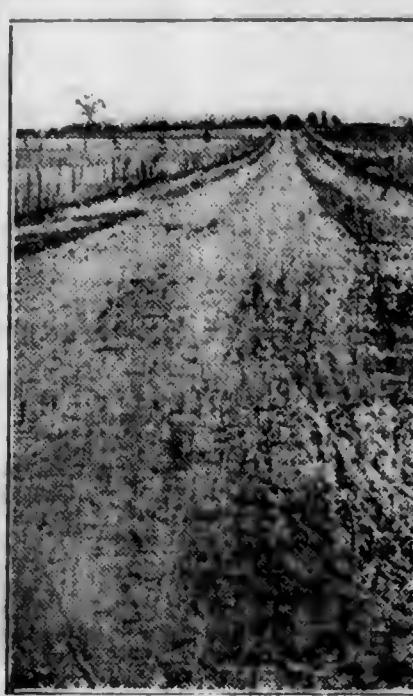
The standard weight for oats, says the Indiana Farmer, is 32 pounds to the bushel, but 16 must be fed to fowls in weight per bushel in oats. On ordinary oats when it approaches the standard weight per bushel makes fine poultry feed. You will find that the fowls will refuse to eat fiber portion of oats—eating only the best of the grain.

# HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT

## MAKING GOOD GRAVEL ROADS

Enough Crude Oil Is Applied to Make Bed Impervious to Moisture—Roll Down to Suit.

It looks like the bulk of money is larger than the faculty for building. What we want are good roads not for coasting purposes, but for the good of the traveling public. We have had some experience in gravel roads and the best ones are made in this way, says a writer in the Iowa Homestead. We locate the center of a well-formed road bed, then four feet each way from center we open out a gravel bed eight feet wide and twelve or fifteen inches deep, depending on the kind of soil. The road bed is filled with coarse gravel mixed well with clay, or earth, and crude oil



Excellent Type of Gravel Road.

enough to make it a bed impervious to moisture. This bed is well packed for all heavy freight. The surface bed upon this should be of finer gravel about eight or ten inches deep and from the center each way should be from eight to ten feet making a top bed from sixteen to twenty feet wide with the edges well wrapped up with earth. Then the whole is rolled down to suit the form of a good road bed. The oil bed being underneath the seasons will evaporate the oil and harden the finer gravel sides of the road so as to make a fine driveway for coasting and light traffic.

Flint or limestone is the best. Money is being thrown away by the use of sandstone as a road bed because of the fact that when it is rolled down and crushed into form it is only a short time until the frost has it in such shape that it proves worthless. Never hammer or crush the sand rock. The better form can be made of sandstone by getting the rocks in good building material form to be used only on soft, wet land, laying them in mechanically to make the eight-foot road bed and covering with the oil, clay and shell. Always put the oil bed underneath and in that way have all the fine particles to harden the road bed.

## DIFFERENT TYPES OF ROADS

Much Work Done by Department of Agriculture During the Fiscal Year of 1912-1913.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Over four hundred and eighty thousand square yards of different types of roads for experimental and object lesson purposes were constructed during the fiscal year 1912-1913 under the supervision of the office of public roads, United States department of agriculture, according to bulletin 53 of the department, making a total of over four million square yards of road constructed under the supervision of this office since 1905.

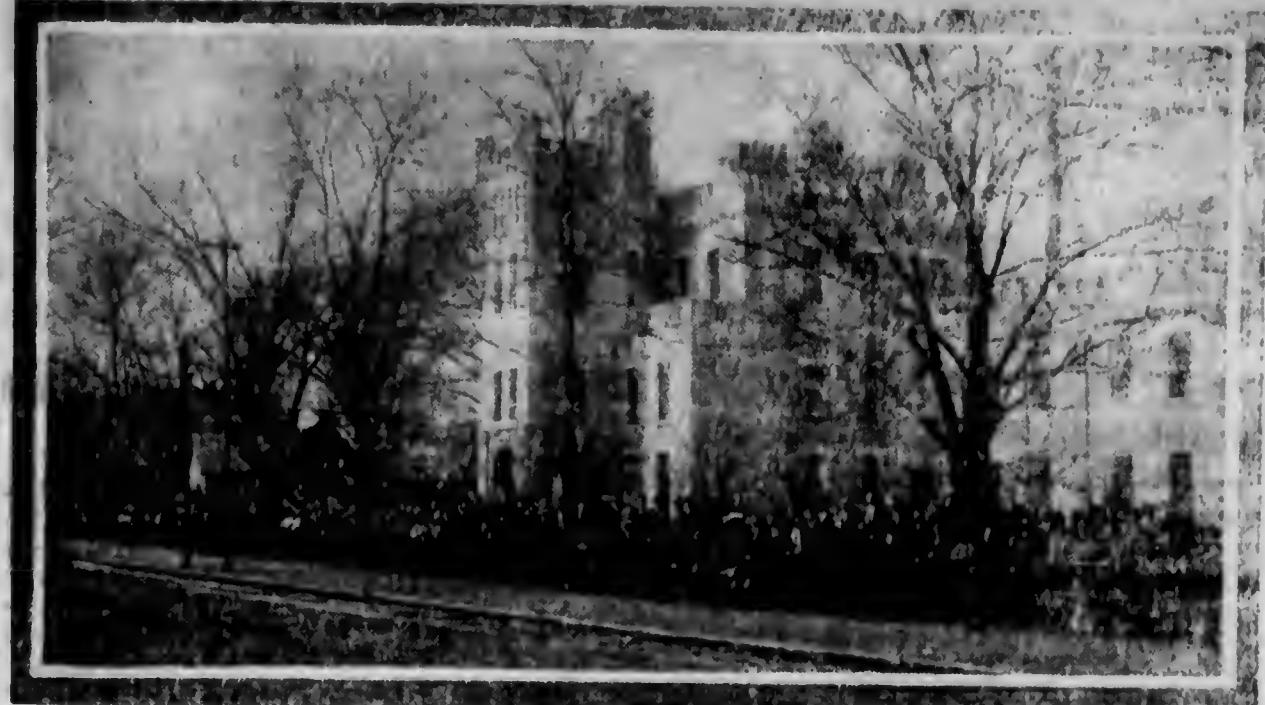
The types of roads built were brick, concrete, oil-cement concrete, bituminous concrete, bituminous-surfaced concrete, bituminous macadam, surface treatment, macadam, asphalt-slag, oil-asphalt-gravel, oil-gravel, oil-corrugated, gravel-macadam, gravel, slag, sand-clay, sand-gumbo, burnt-clay, shell and earth. The object lesson and experimental work during the past year was done at a cost to the local communities of \$139,841.89. This does not include the salaries and expenses of the department engineers.

The road work during the year was done in Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Maryland, Mississippi, Nebraska, North Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, Wisconsin and the District of Columbia.

**What Bad Roads Cost.**  
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**Cost of Poor Roads.**  
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# FOR BETTER ROADS

## MAKING A SPLIT LOG DRAG

Anyone Can Make One to Cost From Almost Nothing to \$2.50, Depending on Materials Used.

A subscriber in Latah county, Idaho, asks me to give him a plan for making a split log drag for working the roads in his county, and also wants to know how to use one, says the Western Farmer.

The drag may be made of a log, say eight feet long and 12 inches through, split in the middle, or of two pieces of sawed oak or other substantial wood, 2 by 8 inches. After log is split, giving two flat, faced slabs, bore three two-inch holes in each slab, as shown in drawing; connect the slabs, facing the same direction, with three stakes or rounded 3 by 3s long enough to leave three feet of space between the slabs after the connecting pieces have been driven into the holes. Two or three planks can be nailed to those pieces, affording a place for the driver to stand, and, at the same time, strengthening the drag. Use a chain or strong rope for attachment to the double-tree. Supposing the drag to face west, and assuming that a chain is used, fasten one end of the chain to or around the left hand outside connecting brace, letting the chain pass over the top of the slab. If attached to the face of the slab, near the left hand end, the chain would interfere with the movement of dirt toward that end of the drag. The drag is run at an angle of about 45 degrees, so that dirt can be thrown toward one side. The other end of the chain must be fastened to the face of the front slab near where the right hand connecting piece comes through, and not around the connecting piece, as it is in the illustration.

Show about three feet of the bottom edge (right hand side) of the front slab with a piece of iron or steel of the right length, about three inches wide and a half inch thick, with one edge sharp or beveled. Put it on securely, letting the sharp edge project about half an inch below the edge of the slab. This sharp edge will enable the drag better to shave the surface and cut down the hard ridges which are usually met on roads that have not been kept smooth. A good drag will cost from almost nothing to \$2.50, depending on the ma-

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### How to Become a Poet.

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#### Daily Thought.

You cannot dream yourself into a character; you must hammer and forge yourself into one.—Froude.



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# GOOD ROADS

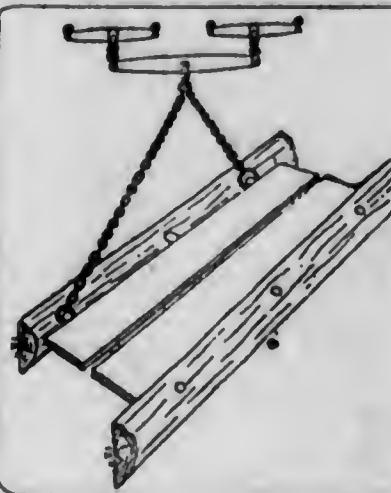
## WORK ROADS IN THE SPRING

Mistake to Put Off Task Until August or September When Surface Is Dry, Declare Experts.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It is a great mistake to put off working roads until August or September, according to road experts of the United States department of agriculture. The roads should be worked when the soil is damp so as to make the soil bake when it dries out. If the roads are worked when they are dry, it takes more power to draw the machine and besides dry earth and dust retain moisture and quickly rot after rains. The use of clods, sods, weeds or vegetable matter in building earth roads should be avoided because they also retain moisture.

If the working of the roads is deferred until the latter part of the summer when the surface is baked dry



The King Road Drag.

and hard, they are not only difficult to work, but the work is unsatisfactory when done. Earth which is loose and dry will remain dusty as long as the dry weather lasts, and then turn to mud as the rains begin. By using the road machine in the spring while the soil is soft and damp, the surface is more easily shaped and soon packs down into a dry hard crust which is less liable to become dusty in summer and muddy in winter.

Repairs to roads should be made when needed and not once a year after crops are laid by. Because of its simplicity, efficiency and cheapness, the split-log drag or some similar device is destined to come into more and more general use. With drag properly built and its use well understood, the maintenance of earth and gravel roads becomes a simple and inexpensive matter.

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The earth road can best be crowned and ditched with a road machine and not with picks and shovels, scoops, and plows. One road machine with a suitable power and operator will do the work of many men with picks and shovels, and in addition will do better. If the road is composed of fine clay or soil it will sometimes pay to resurface it with top soil from an adjacent field, which has sand or gravel mixed with it. This method, called the "top soil method," is now in successful use in Clarke county, Georgia.

Storm water should be disposed of quickly before it has had time to penetrate deeply into the surface of the road. This can be done by giving the road a crown or slope from the center to the sides. For an earth road which is 24 feet wide, the center should be not less than six inches nor more than 12 inches higher than the outer edges of the shoulder. The narrow road which is high in the middle will become rutted almost as quickly as one which is too flat, for the reason that on a narrow road all the traffic is forced to use only a narrow strip. Shoulders are often formed on both sides of the road, which prevents storm water from flowing into the side ditches, retaining it in the ruts and softening the roadway. These ruts and shoulders can be entirely eliminated with the road machine or split-log drag.

The width of the earth road will depend on the traffic. As a rule, 26 or 30 feet from ditch to ditch is sufficient if the road is properly crowned. Ordinarily the only ditches needed are those made with the road machine which are wide and shallow. Deep narrow ditches wash rapidly, especially on steep slopes. The earth road should not be loosened, dug up, or plowed up any more than is absolutely necessary.

# Spring House Cleaning Time

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The best security of earth is the earth itself, and land is the basis of all wealth. Owners of productive lands are benefiting by the increasing high cost of living, while others are suffering from it.

#### An Opportunity to Secure Rich Productive Land Without Capital.

You will not be required to leave your present surroundings now. All we ask of those to whom we grant tracts is that they plant, or arrange to have planted, a crop of one of the above-mentioned products within three years, after which we will have it operated (harvested and replanted) for grantees, to consideration of 25 per cent. of the net profits derived from the sale of the crops, thereby allowing the grantee to pursue his or her present occupation until such time as they determine just what the yield of their acres amounts to. Consider what this may mean as a source of income, when statistics show that the yield of one acre of celery amounted to \$1,268.45, and that one acre of well-cared-for paper shell pecans, in full bearing, should net its owner as high as \$500.00 per year. We are of the opinion that after it is proven by actual results obtained in operating the land that they will need no further urging, and waste no time in locating in this land of plenty. We also require grantees to occupy the land within ten years, or sell it to some one who will occupy it; otherwise it reverts back to the grantor.

The land included in this opening is located directly on an adjoining the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad, about twenty-five miles west of Brunswick, a thriving city of fifteen thousand, having direct steamship service to New York and Boston, an excellent railroad transportation facilities at all points. The average temperature for six months of the year, from April to October, is 77 degrees; the climate is most healthful, delightful, and there is an ample rainfall of 61 inches per year.

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As we are extremely desirous of having settlers locate on this property, and assist in its development, and thereby greatly increase the value of surrounding and intervening property, which we will hold, and to increase the traffic along the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad, and thus facilitate the service, we feel warranted in granting these tracts to those who register with us. We also have in mind business and residence plots which we will offer for sale after the opening, but which will not be included in it. We have "money-making afterward" considerations in this liberal-minded opening, similar to those of the Northern Pacific and other railroads when they granted their lands, and we expect to benefit thereby, as well as the one who will receive the tracts.

We have also planned to develop what is designed to be the best equipped, most up-to-date, scientific, commercial farm and orchard in existence. It will consist of six thousand acres, and will be included in the opening. All who register and receive tracts will get the benefit of the experiments and scientific methods in vogue thereon. While we are arranging to prevent over-registration, we will avoid many disappointments, such as occurred in other land openings conducted by the United States Government and railroads, by granting those who register in excess of the number of tracts to be granted, an interest in this commercial farm and orchard enterprise, in the hope that they may later locate in one of our town sites.

Examination of the land will cheerfully be permitted, and the opening will be held at Brownstown, Wayne County Georgia, one of the stations of the A. B. & A. Railroad, which is located on this property, and will occur as soon after the closing of registrations as arrangements can be made.

The presence of those registered will not be necessary at Brownstown on the opening day, unless they wish to attend, for their will be no formalism shown anyone. It will be conducted by a committee selected for the purpose, and those registered will be notified of what they have been granted, as soon as possible.

With the ever-increasing population of this country there is no corresponding increase in the area of land, and naturally as the population increases and seeks the land in pursuit of health, happiness and independence, it will continue to be harder to secure.

The prosperous and contented class in Europe to-day are the descendants of those who secured land there when it was plentiful, while the descendants of those who obtained no land are now the peasants and slaves. You must realize that this may be your last chance to secure land in this country without a large outlay of capital, so it should not be necessary to urge you to act at once by forwarding us the application for registration attached to this announcement.

SOUTHERN GEORGIA RAILROAD-LAND DEVELOPMENT BUREAU,  
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#### Registration Department:

I hereby make application to register for your Farm and Agricultural Railroad-Land Opening, and furnish you with the correct answers to the following questions:

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If my application for registration is accepted, please send me, without obligation, further and complete information and particulars, including maps of the land, showing its exact location on the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad, its transportation facilities, agricultural, fruit and nut-growing possibilities, etc.

Very truly yours,

Signature

## New Indian Animal Stories

How the Redbird Became the Daughter of the Sun

By JOHN M. OSKISON



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Long time ago, in the days when the clouds hung over the sky from the time the people got up until they went to bed, and the rain came patterning down on the roofs hour after hour, the old men would gather the little boys who wanted to go out in the wet woods to play, and tell them that they must wait until the sun had stopped crying over the death of her daughter.

And while the little boys listened, the old men would tell them about how the wise medicine men got word from the Yuwai Tsunsl (the little people of the woods) to send the rattlesnake to kill the sun. In those days the sun shone so hot every day that many people were made sick by the heat.

The old men would tell about how the rattlesnake went up to the house of the daughter of the sun, in the middle of the sky, and made a mistake. It was the daughter of the sun instead of the sun herself!

"So," the old men would say, "the sun began to weep as soon as she found out that her daughter had been killed, staying up in her daughter's house so long that the people grew cold and afraid because it was dark all the time."

Then came the chief of the Little People and told the wise medicine men that they would have to send messengers to Tsinginal (the Ghost Country) in Ushunbyl (the Darkening Land in the West) to bring back the daughter of the sun.

"So the wise medicine men chose seven hunters to go to the Ghost Country, and they set out carrying a box to bring the daughter of the sun back. When they got to that country, they found all the ghosts at a big dance, just as the chief of the Yuwai Tsunsl said they would."

"And just as they had been told to do, they stood close by the circle of dancers, and whenever the daughter of the sun came round in the dance,

each one of the seven messengers struck her with a stick which they carried. And when the seventh man had struck her, he stepped out of the circle of dancers and fell down as if dead.

"Then the seven messengers took her up, as they had been told to do, and put her in the box they had brought. And they started east toward the country from which they had come.

"In a little while, the daughter of the sun came back to life and begged the man to let her out of the box. But they remembered what the chief of the Little People had told the wise medicine men, and they would not let her out.

"After they had gone a long way, the girl in the box said that she was hungry and begged the seven men to let her out to eat; but they refused and went on.

"When they were near home, the daughter of the sun begged the men who carried her to lift the lid of the box just a little, for she said she was smothering. And so pitifully did she beg that the men decided that it would do no harm to lift the lid just a crack.

"And just as they raised up the lid of the box a tiny bit to let in some air to the daughter of the sun, something flew swiftly past them into the bushes and they heard a redbird cry, 'Kwish! Kwish!' from the limb of a tall tree. Then they shut down the lid of the box and went on to where the wise medicine men were waiting.

"When the seven messengers got to the council house and opened the box, they found that it was empty. It was the daughter of the sun who had flown out of the box when they lifted the lid—she had taken the shape of the redbird; and so we know today that the redbird is the daughter of the sun."

And when the boys would ask what made the sun stop crying for her daughter, the old men would only say: "Oh, that is another story. If it is raining tomorrow I will tell it to you."

small amount of labor and attention.

This invention consists of a stick, somewhat longer than that usually made use of for beating the hoop and is not necessarily as thick, but near the end there is a smaller stick at right angles with the first. The latter is held in contact with the hoop and not far from the ground, and as the child walks along after the hoop the latter is propelled at a regular speed without much further thought by the child operator.

**A Parrot Bank.**  
Three or four years ago a parrot belonging to an old woman in Chester, England, made such a nuisance of herself that some one poisoned her. The old woman had the dead bird stuffed and placed on a perch in the house. A few weeks ago she died of old age, and everything in her house was sold at auction. The stuffed parrot was bought by a boy for a six-pence, and when he got it home he found about four thousand dollars in it. The old woman had used the dead bird for a bank. There is a suit against the boy's father to recover the money, but it is believed he will be allowed to keep it.

**Don't Be Left-Handed.**

It has been estimated that about one boy out of fifteen is left-handed when he reaches the age of ten. This is his mother's fault in not making him use his right hand more during his boyhood. In Germany there are schools where the boy is taught to be right-handed. Nearly all tools are made for right-handed men, and the boy who grows up left-handed will be awkward.

If one can use both hands alike he has an advantage in some things; but it seems as if nature intended the right arm to do most of the work.

## SOMETHING NOVEL FOR BOYS

Youth's Invention Reduces Hoop-Rolling Stunt to Minimum Amount of Labor—Stick Does It.

The present-day tendency toward the simplification of processes makes itself felt in the playroom as well as elsewhere. The small boy and girl are encouraged to discard old-time methods to devise something new. Not so



Saves Energy.

long ago the children were satisfied to propel a hoop along the sidewalk by beating it with a stick at regular intervals. This performance required more or less constant attention and the needless expenditure of a great deal of energy. This waste of physical strength is now conserved by the invention of a small boy, which enables him to keep the hoop in motion with a

## AUNT LOU'S FUNNY PRESENTS

FREDDIE was very fond of Aunt Lou and had been saving up his pennies to buy her a Christmas present. He had five when he climbed into his mother's lap to consult as to how the money should be invested. After the conference it was agreed that Aunt Lou's present should be a rose.

The florist's was only five blocks down the street. In front of the little corner grocery store stood Bobbie, Freddie's chum, studying the wonderful things in the window.

"Hello!" said Freddie. "Have you got a copper?"

Bobbie displayed two, and Freddie asked what he was going to buy.

"Don't know. Come on; let's go in," said Bobbie.

On the counter was a box of white clay pipes with funny faces on them. Bobbie's bright eyes spied them at once. "How much is the bubble pipe?" he asked.

"Just a cent," said the man behind the counter.

Bobbie bought one, and Freddie lingered at the box. He asked, "How many would five coppers buy?"

"Six," Freddie bought six.

Freddie returned home, and mamma looked up from her sewing and asked, "Did you get it?"

"Six, mamma, six beautiful ones," he cried excitedly.

"Why, Freddie, you couldn't get six for 5 cents," said his mother.

"Yes, I did," said the little boy. "Just look here."

"Why, Freddie, they're pipes, and Aunt Lou doesn't want pipes. Where is the rose?"

Freddie stood before her, speechless. He had forgotten the rose—forgotten

to pay for the pipes.

"BUBBLE PIPE!" SHE CRIED.

all about Aunt Lou's Christmas present. He was a very little boy, but not too little to be ashamed.

"Did you spend all of your coppers?" mamma asked gently, and Freddie nodded his head and gulped.

"I don't think Aunt Lou will like pipes quite as well as a rose, do you?" mamma asked. "Never mind, dear; wrap up the pipes for her."

"But Aunt Lou doesn't want pipes," Freddie said chokingly.

"Didn't you buy them for Aunt Lou, dear?" mamma asked.

"They are for me," said Freddie in a low voice.

"And what have you got for Aunt Lou, who always gives you such a nice Christmas present?"

Freddie crept very close and asked, "Will you please give me 5 cents?"

"That would be mamma's present, dear, and not yours. You saved the coppers for Aunt Lou and if you have bought pipes with them you must give her the pipes."

Christmas day Freddie gave the pipes to Aunt Lou. His papa laughed.

His mother smiled, and a merry twinkle appeared in Aunt Lou's eyes. She caught sight of a little red, mortified face with two blue eyes brimming with tears. That was too much for Aunt Lou. Not for worlds would she add to Freddie's distress.

"Bubble pipes!" she cried joyously. "Now, isn't that splendid? Why, bubble parties are all the rage now. I'll be able to give a party myself tomorrow afternoon, and you must all be sure to come."

A little smile was beginning to dimple around Freddie's lips, and he was blinking away the tears that had gathered. "One's broke," he said in a little wavering voice.

"It is? Why, yes! And right close to the bowl! Isn't that fine? Why, lots of girls I know always curl their hair on pipe stems and think they're far clever than curling tongs."

After Freddie had gone to bed mamma told papa and Aunt Lou all the story about Aunt Lou's present.

"You're a darling, Lou," papa said as he kissed his sister. "I'm really ashamed of myself for laughing."

Aunt Lou smiled. "Will you come to my bubble party?" she asked.

"I'll do more than that," papa answered; "I'll buy the prize for it."

**GOOD ROAD-MAKING DEVICE**

Machine invented by Idaho Man is simple in construction—fills holes, smoothing road.

A road-making device for road building has been invented and patented by Hugh G. Taylor of Buhi, Idaho. The machine is simple in construction; it is a drag, constructed of a piece of sheet metal four feet long, four inches wide by a quarter of an inch thick, says a writer in the Western Farmer. It is attached by means of rods to either axle of a wagon or

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